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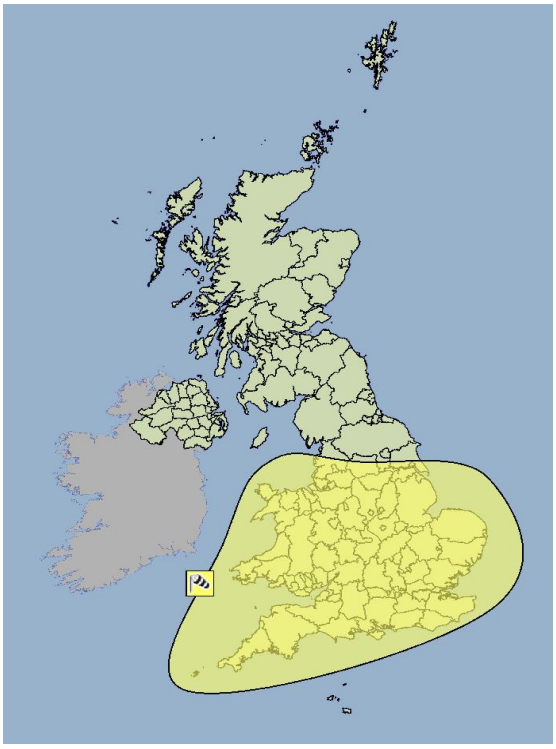

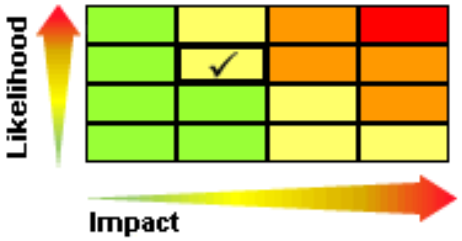


**Chief Forecasters Assessment**
The strongest winds will affect southwest England and Wales during the morning, moving east to reach eastern parts of England later in the afternoon.

Gusts of 50-60 mph are likely fairly widely with some gusts reaching 65-75 mph along exposed coasts and over high ground in the west.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Wind**

Valid from **08:00 on Thu, 04th Jan 2018** until **19:00 on Thu, 04th Jan 2018**

A spell of strong and gusty winds is expected to move eastwards during Thursday.

Some delays to road, rail, air and ferry transport are likely with some journeys taking longer. Delays for high-sided vehicles on exposed routes and bridges are also possible. There is also the potential for some short term loss of power supplies.

It is likely that some coastal routes, seafronts and coastal communities exposed to these winds will be affected by spray and/or large waves.

**For more details please go to:**
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

**Issued by the Met Office at 03:56 on Thu, 04th Jan 2018**

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